IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

UNITED STATES and THE STATE OF TEXAS, ex rel. KENT VAUGHN,

Plaintiffs,

Civil Action No. 4:17-CV-02749

v.

HARRIS COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT d/b/a HARRIS HEALTH SYSTEM, et al.

Defendants.

RELATOR'S NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL OF CERTAIN CLAIMS WITHOUT PREJUDICE UNDER FRCP 41(a)(1)(A)(i)

COMES NOW Relator Kent Vaughn ("Relator") and, through his undersigned counsel and pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(i), files this Notice of Voluntary Dismissal without prejudice of all claims brought by Relator on behalf of the State of Texas (Counts VI-XI) and only those claims.

As of this filing, none of the Defendants in this action have served an answer or motion for summary judgment and, therefore, this Notice is filed as a matter of right under Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(i) without need for party consent or court order.

The State of Texas has authorized and consented to the dismissal of its claims without prejudice.

This notice is not intended to and does not affect any of Relator's remaining claims.

Dated: June 3, 2020 Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that on June 3, 2020, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF filing system, which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record in accordance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

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